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Wye Church Vestry stands west of the church and is surrounded by a picket fence and fine landscape planting. It was re-constructed in 1949 when the church was restored in the location of the original vestry house.

The re-construction is a small three bay long frame building constructed upon a brick foundation with chimney in the south gable having its back exposed to ceiling level. The central door is flanked by two tall windows with 9/9 sash and paneled shutters. Its interior has paneled wainscot and chimney brest and is finished in a style more common to Virginia than Maryland.

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STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Wye Church Vestry is a fine hypothetical reproduction of an 18th century vestry house which is finished and furnished in a refined manner. Its importance lies in the fact that this site was the location of the vestry house constructed in 1763 and used thereafter by the vestry of the Old Wye Church.

The restoration of the Vestry as well as the church was undertaken by William Perry of the Boston architectural firm of Perry, Shaw, & Hepburn.

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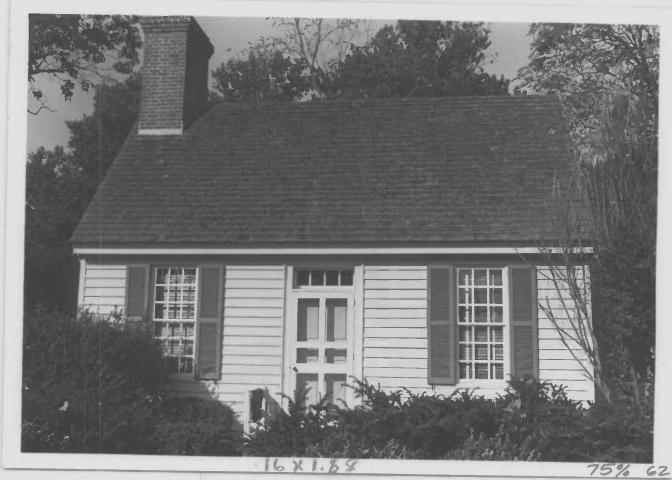
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